

LABOR SERVICES DIVISION[875]

Notice of Intended Action

Twenty-five interested persons, a governmental subdivision, an agency or association of 25 or more persons may demand an oral presentation hereon as provided in Iowa Code section 17A.4(1)“b.”

Notice is also given to the public that the Administrative Rules Review Committee may, on its own motion or on written request by any individual or group, review this proposed action under section 17A.8(6) at a regular or special meeting where the public or interested persons may be heard.

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 89A.3, the Elevator Safety Board hereby gives Notice of Intended Action to amend Chapter 73, “Conveyances Installed Prior to January 1, 1975,” Iowa Administrative Code.

This amendment requires that owners retrofit certain elevators to ensure safe access to the machine’s governor for elevator inspectors and mechanics.

The purpose of this amendment is to protect the health and safety of the public and implement legislative intent.

If requested in accordance with Iowa Code section 17A.4(1)“b” by the close of business on April 13, 2010, a public hearing will be held on April 14, 2010, at 10:30 a.m. in the Capitol View Room at 1000 East Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa. Interested persons will be given the opportunity to make oral statements and file documents concerning the proposed amendment. The facility for the oral presentations is accessible to and functional for persons with physical disabilities. Persons who have special requirements should call (515)281-5915 in advance to arrange access or other needed services.

Written data, views, or arguments to be considered in adoption shall be submitted by interested persons no later than April 14, 2010, to Division of Labor Services, 1000 East Grand Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa 50319-0209. Comments may be sent electronically to kathleen.uehling@iwd.iowa.gov.

This amendment is intended to implement Iowa Code chapter 89A.

The following amendment is proposed.

Adopt the following **new** subrule 73.14(9):

73.14(9) Access to a governor that is located inside a hoistway shall be provided in accordance with ASME A17.1-2007, Rule 2.7.6.3.4.